FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* HESS JACK LEE						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol DONEGAL GROUP INC [DGICA]									elationshi ck all app	,		()	n(s) to Issuer 10% Owner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1195 RIVER ROAD						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/15/2011									Offic below	er (give title w)			r (specify v)	
(Street) MARIET (City)			1 7547 Zip)		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									ndividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable e) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day)						Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a 5)			nd Securiti Benefic Owned		es ially Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D) Price			Transac	eported ansaction(s) nstr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)	
Class A Common Stock ⁽¹⁾ 08/15/2					2011	011		J	v	11	A	\$12	.64	1,	152		D			
Class A Common Stock														5,		5,000		T I	Retirement Plan	
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																			
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution if any	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Exerc ion Da /Day/Y		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		De Se (Ir	Price of erivative ecurity istr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	s Blly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	sable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares							

Explanation of Responses:

1. Dividend Reinvestment Plan

<u>Jeffrey D. Miller, by power of attorney</u>

09/01/2011

** Signature of Reporting Person

son Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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